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COFFEE COUNTY HAS RECEIVED \$3.9 SINCE 1987

City of Elba receives approximately \$1.1 million in grants from Alabama

By Marvin McIlwain
Elba Clipper Editor

Once again, Elba is the beneficiary of more funds from the State of Alabama via grants.

Last Friday while in Daleville, Governor Guy Hunt placed in the hands of Elba's Mayor, Fred Moore, a letter of commitment for grants totaling approximately \$1.1 million.

The monies will be used to repair 75 houses and help the city continue providing vital city services to the people.

"With the help of \$694,610 in grants, Elba will improve housing conditions for more than 200 people whose homes were damaged in the flood," Gov. Hunt said. "In addition

a \$400,000 grant will enable Elba to continue providing the vital water, police, garbage disposal and other services the people need to help them recover from the disaster. Due to the flood that hit Elba in March, there is an increase in demand for almost every service the city provides. I am pleased to be able to once again help the people of Elba and Elba officials with these grants."

In addition to Elba, Gov. Hunt also awarded grants to representatives from four other neighboring towns - Daleville, Enterprise, Samson and Slocomb.

"These grants will help improve the quality of life for dozens of families, giving them purer water to drink, healthier living conditions and improved city services," Gov. Hunt

said. "These funds also will move us closer to our goal of preparing all segments of Alabama to compete for new business growth as part of Alabama's ongoing economic prosperity. This prosperity has helped our economy experience a net job growth of 151,514 jobs during 1987-1989 according to the U. S. Department of Commerce."

Daleville was awarded a \$295,350 grant to extend sewer service to people living in the Tar Hill Road, Briarwood Road, Snell Bridge Road, Vita Street, Marrett Drive and Myrtle Drive areas of the city.

Enterprise Mayor Jackie Thompson accepted a \$400,000 grant from the governor to be used to repair 44 houses in the Baptist Hill neighborhood area.

The governor presented officials from Samson a \$246,291 grant and officials from Slocomb a \$149,200 grant. These funds will be used by each of the towns to improve drainage and water services for 1,123 people.

The town of Samson was also presented with a \$60,000 grant to help re-build a municipal building and purchase a fire truck and a garbage truck to replace trucks that were lost in a recent fire that destroyed the building housing the fire department.

The Community Development Block Grants will be administered by the Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs.

Including these grants, Gov. Hunt has approved more than \$6.1 million in grants and assistance for Coffee County, more than \$3.9 million for Dale County, and more than \$1.9 million for Geneva County through ADECA alone since he became governor in January of 1987.



Pictured above accepting close to \$1.1 million grant commitments from the Governor of the State of Alabama, Guy Hunt, are (L-R): Mayor Fred Moore, and Elba's Chief of Police, Freddie Hanchey.

RIVER PARK PAVING CONTRACT LET

City council awards contract on Kelley Foods Inc. water line

by FERRIN COX
Publisher

The Elba City Council didn't take long to approve three bid openings, but two had already been officially opened and reviewed by engineers.

The council approved a bid of \$81,437.16 from Blankenship and Lee of Tallahassee for the extension of the Kelley Foods water line. There were four bidders on this project.

Bobby Lee of the architect firm drawing the plans explained that another firm was on the base bid but when either of the two alternates was added in, Blankenship was low. He explained that the city had an op-

portunity on the alternates but had to select either #1 or #2, therefore Blankenship was the official low bidder on the project.

S & C Paving was low bidder on work at the River Park with a bid of \$14,913.00. There were six bidders on this project and the winning bid was at least \$10,000 lower than the others.

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ported that during the past two weeks the police have investigated 149 complaints, including five traffic accidents. There were 45 traffic citations issued including two for DUI. Also during this period there were eight criminal arrests.

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DA buys computer programs

By Marvin McIlwain
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On Wednesday, October 3rd, Joel M. Folmar, District Attorney for the 12th Judicial Circuit, Coffee & Pike Counties, presented computer programs purchased by his office to the Alabama State Troopers.

The computer programs, two automobile accident reconstruction programs, will be used primarily by Troop K of the Alabama State Troopers. Troop K is composed of eight counties in Southeast Alabama with offices in Dothan and Eufaula.

District Attorney Folmar and Capt. E. K. Howard of the State Troopers, stated that the expertise of the programs will also be made available to other law enforcement agencies within the area covered by Troop K.

The computer programs will enhance the troopers' performance and abilities in determining many factors that will reveal the cause and circumstances of an automobile accident.

Primarily the new equipment, which exceeded the cost of \$1,000.00, is being aimed at automobile crashes where fatalities and serious injuries were sustained.

Folmar said, "This equipment is an asset in revealing evidence that will aid in the prosecution of drunk drivers involved in automobile crashes."

He continued, "A person who is driving under the influence and causes an automobile crash in which a fatality occurs, the driver could face murder charges. In crashes where serious physical injury is sustained, the driver could face felony assault charges."

The DA's office is currently involved in four investigations of automobile crashes where death and serious injury resulted. Preliminary reports indicate alcohol was involved. Folmar stated that it is very



Pictured (L-R) are: Capt. E. K. Howard, Alabama State Trooper; Boyd Lawler, Alabama State Trooper; and Lt. D. H. Parker, Alabama State Trooper.

likely that criminal charges are forthcoming.

In the last few months, there have been eleven traffic fatalities in Coffee and Pike Counties. The District Attorney said that all but one of the fatalities involved either alcohol or drugs.

District Attorney Folmar said, "We want the people of this circuit

and this area to know - that with the help of the troopers and their able assistance and investigation and the law enforcement authorities in this circuit - we're going after the drunk driver and the driver under the influence of narcotics or the combination of both."

The board approved requested field trips for several groups. This includes a trip by the ag students to Moultrie, Ga; a trip to FFA nation convention for Instructor Mike Harrison and the FFA president; a class to Davis Theatre in Montgomery with Mrs. Sylvia Padgett and three band trips.

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COST OF COMPLETE NEW SYSTEM INCLUDED

\$20 million budget adopted by Elba City School Board

by FERRIN COX
Publisher

Last Thursday evening the Elba City School Board adopted a record \$20 million budget for the coming year.

The figures could be misleading however, as they include the cost of constructing and furnishing a complete new school complex. Most of the money for the new construction is being furnished by federal flood damage funds and a special state bond issue.

The budget is a balanced budget as required by law. With the exception of the new construction, mandated by the March flood damage, the budget is only slightly higher than the one for the past year.

Some additional funds have been reserved for bus operation, due to the increase in the price of gasoline and diesel fuel. There is also a budgeted increase in teacher salaries which the legislature approved last year. Most of this too is funded by the State, but some comes from local sources.

Superintendent Charles Pearce pointed out a carryover balance in the budget and said to the board, "I feel good about the budget. I feel the fund balance is absolute and this is good. We inherited a balance and this is what enabled the school to buy the first trailers without borrowing. We need to keep a balance for future emergencies."

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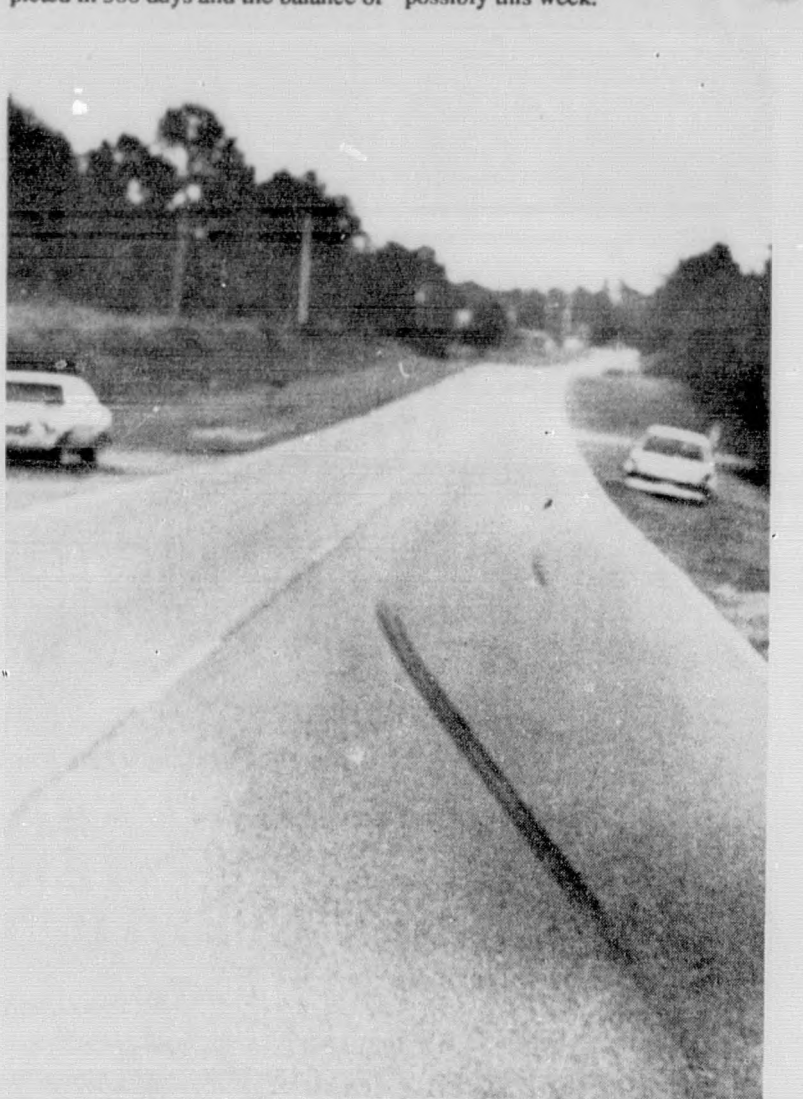
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Some changes were adopted in the high school policy manual due to conflicts with the official board policy.

A short discussion on the progress toward construction of the new school complex indicated bids will be received on October 18th.

Five construction firms have already been approved to furnish complete call for the completion of the entire project by the 420 deadline. The decision on this change will be made prior to the bid opening on the 18th, possibly this week.

The present requirements are that the elementary school will be completed in 300 days and the balance of



Six-year old youth struck & killed by automobile

By Marvin McIlwain
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According to reports at the scene, the child had earlier been seen chasing his dog in and near the highway.

Mrs. Reid stated that she saw the child and attempted to avoid hitting him when he darted onto the roadway.

Riding in the automobile with Mrs. Reid at the time of the accident were her daughter, a son and three other young boys. They were returning to Montgomery from a weekend in Florida.

The accident is under investigation by the Alabama State Troopers, the District Attorney's office and the Alabama Department of Forensic Science.

Assisting Trooper Boyd Hartzog at the scene were Coroner Bobby Baker, Elba Policeman Donnie Byrd and Chief Deputy Sheriff Buddy Ammons of the Coffee County Sheriff's Department.

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Commission meeting becoming routine

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that projects involving federal funds could possibly be delayed. These funds will be delayed due to Congress failing to approve a budget.

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bama Highway Department has informed him that federal funds allotted to Coffee County will be cut by 50%.

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Fire destroys mobile home

By Marvin McIlwain
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Elba firemen responded to an early morning fire, 1:01 a.m. Monday, north of Elba on County Road 58 just off Al. Highway 182N.

When the firemen arrived, they found a mobile home completely engulfed in flames with the exception of one end. At the time, it was not known if there were any occupants in the trailer.

According to Fire Chief Loyd Driggers, it was later discovered that the sole occupant and owner of the mobile home, Donald Smith, was not home at the time of the fire.

"The mobile home," Chief Driggers said, "was a total loss."

The mishap occurred approximately 18 miles north of Elba on Alabama Highway 87 in the Wilkinstown Community.

A unit of the Elba Rescue Squad responded to the scene and attempted to revive the youngster. The child was transported to Elba General Hospital where he was pronounced dead by Dr. Lance K. Dyess.

The accident is under investigation by the Alabama State Troopers, the District Attorney's office and the Alabama Department of Forensic Science.

Assisting Trooper Boyd Hartzog at the scene were Coroner Bobby Baker, Elba Policeman Donnie Byrd and Chief Deputy Sheriff Buddy Ammons of the Coffee County Sheriff's Department.

New Arrival



TIMOTHY BLAKE MADDOX

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Maddox (nee Suzi Brunson) of Jonesboro, Georgia, would like to announce the birth of their son, Timothy Blake. He was born September 13, 1990 and weighed 8 lbs and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Proud grandparents are: Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Brunson, Jr., Mrs. Patricia Maddox, and Jack C. Maddox. Great grandparents are: Mrs. Dixie M. Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Brunson Sr., all of Elba.

C.C. Retired Teachers

To Meet October 16th

The Coffee County Retired Teachers Association meeting will be held Tuesday, October 16th, at 12:00 o'clock noon, at Gran's restaurant in Enterprise.

Members who plan to attend, should call Mrs. Lloyd Crook by Friday, October 12th at 897-2049.

AARP To Hold

Meeting Oct. 16th

The AARP continues to meet at the Mulberry Baptist Association Building on the Old Curtis Road, the covered dish dinner Tuesday, October 16th, starts at 6:00 p.m., followed by the regular business meeting. Please come and bring a friend.

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Hilton Gets

Scholastic Honors At South Alabama

Johnathan Alexander Hilton was recently honored by University of South Alabama president, Dr. Frederick Whiddon.

Hilton, who is officially a part-time student during the summer quarter, ended up with a 3.5 or above average, which qualifies him for the Dean's list at the university.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hilton, Rt. 2, New Brockton.

Michelle Free

Pledges Kappa

Delta Sorority

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SOCIAL NEWS

Macon-Parrish Wedding To Be Held October 13th

Paul and Diane Macon of Elba, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Heather, to Byron Parrish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spurlin, of Elba.

Miss Daniels And Mr. Norrell Honored With Bar-b-que

On Saturday, September 29, at 7:00 p.m., Lisa Daniels and Stephen Norrell were honored with an engagement party hosted by Lisa's parents, John and Glenda Daniels, and their lovely home in the Woodland Grove Community.

The menu consisted of a part-time student during the summer quarter, ended up with a 3.5 or above average, which qualifies him for the Dean's list at the university.

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Mrs. Morgan

Morgan-Norman Wedding Held Saturday, September 8th

Mary Melissa Norman and Jonathan Jack Morgan were united in marriage Saturday, September 8, at half past six in a garden wedding at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. M. J. Lee, in Elba, Dr. J. Douglas Dorch officiated at the traditional ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mariu Bailey of Berry and Richard Norman of Trussville. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morgan of Lanett.

Martin Gray, organist, and Marty Hareless, vocalist, presented a program of nuptial music. The ceremony was performed before a back ground of natural greenery and ferns, centered with a brass arch holding lighted tapers. The arch was flanked by standards holding starburst arrangements.

The bride wore a formal gown of white satin shaped with a fitted bodice overlaid with pearls. The bride's hair was styled in a short, wavy, and was hemmed with the lace scallops. A poufied bustle was poised at the back waist. A waist-length veil billowed from a satin bow in the bride's hair.

She carried a cascade of white snapdragons. Altostreemia lilies, white and pink roses and Queen Anne's lace.

Mrs. Robin Bozeman, wearing a gown of mauve tulle, served her sister, as Matron of Honor. The groom was attended by his father as best man.

Serving as ushers were Joe and Jack Morgan, brothers of the groom, Matthew and Adam Norman, brothers of the bride, John Miles, cousin of the bride and Robin Bozeman, brother-in-law of the bride.

Following the ceremony, a reception was given in the home of the bride's grandmother. Roses from Jeff Outlaw's garden, arranged by Mrs. Nellie Martin, enhanced the reception areas.

Serving the bride's cake were Mrs. Paul Miles and Mrs. Suzanne Clark. The punch and food tables were attended by Robin Rhoades and Kathy Tucker. Mrs. Will Martin and Elizabeth Miles presided over the groom's cake. Mrs. Phillip Scarborough also assisted with serving.

Following their honeymoon, the couple will reside in Birmingham. Prenatal courtesies included a miscellaneous shower August 25 at the home of Mrs. J. Doug Kendrick. Hostesses were Mrs. Mary Grider, Mrs. Nellie Martin, Mrs. Sara Sharpless, Mrs. Louise Bozeman, Mrs. Dixie Dorsey, Mrs. Jeanette Kendrick, Mrs. Gloria Harper, Mrs. Jean Paul, Mrs. Edna Morrow, Mrs. Shelly Morrow, Mrs. Karen Brooks, Mrs. Lorene Sawyer, Mrs. Irma Warr, Mrs. Elaine Martin, Mrs. Tacker, Mrs. Martha Martin, Mrs. Betty Joyce Ellis, Mrs. Jean Kenned, Mrs. Pauline Allen, Mrs. Bertie Bond, Mrs. Nancy Morrow and Mrs. Linda Westbrook.

A birdshead party was given by Mrs. Phillip Scarborough and Mrs.

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PASTOR'S CORNER
REV. W. MARK GRIFFIN
ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

"The Country Prophet Who Preached In The City"

Have you ever traveled to another city or country that was larger than your hometown and tried to get someone's attention for some information. If you ever have, you know how hard it is at times. I know I felt completely ignored at times when I moved from my home town of Enterprise to Ft. Worth, Texas. People seemed so busy in the "Big City" that they just didn't have time for you or your conversation.

The prophet Amos may have felt that way as he was the "Country Preacher" from the South (Judah) who came up North to Samaria, the capital city of Israel. Amos did not know the people there at all, he just knew he had a message from God for them. They were living in habitations of sin and God was calling through Amos for them to come out and rededicate their lives to Him.

Even though he may have felt frustrated by not knowing his audience, he knew how to get their attention. If you look at his first sermon in Amos Chapter 1-2 you will find he begins by preaching to them about other nations' sins. This tactic has been a proven attention getter! People are always quick to Amen a preacher as he is pointing out the

sins of others! He started with nations who were viewed as terrible and inhumane and far from their borders. Soon he preached on the sins of Judah, their neighbor to the South. Some may have begun to get the hint that he was getting closer to them. They were correct as in Amos 2:6-8 he preached on their sins: Oppressing the poor, Marital Affairs and later False Worship. Amos declared his main message to the people he visited in Amos 2:14, "Seek good, and not evil, that ye may live and so the Lord, the God of Hosts, shall be with you, as ye have spoken."

What does it take for God to get your attention? Most of us are like people who live in a "Big City," at least when it comes to God speaking to us. Are we quick to listen as the Preacher points out the sins of others? And are we quick to turn him off if he gets close to home (Our hearts)? My prayer this week is that God comes to us in our private devotions and Sunday Services that we will take Him little effort to get our attention. Second, as we have our attention, we will be careful to confess any sin, or to answer any calling He has for us.

A covered dish meal will be served at noon. There will be a singing in the afternoon featuring a gospel group from Opy The Coles (from the Snellgrove Community. Everyone is welcome.

New Brockton First Assembly To Celebrate Homecoming

"New Brockton First Assembly of God, located on U. S. Hwy 84, has planned an exciting day," says Pastor Don Rogers. The celebration will begin at 10:30 a.m. in the church sanctuary. The service will include the following: children's ministry, adult ensemble, a brief history of the church, and the ministry of special guest, Rev. Vaughn V. Lambert.

Lunch will be served immediately following the morning service at the Christian Fellowship Center located one block south of the church sanctuary on Church Street. Everyone is invited to spread dinner with the church family, especially those who have been a part of the church in the past.

The homecoming day will conclude with an evening of ministry with Tim and Doris Jack at 6:30 p.m. Tim and Doris have presented their music to millions with their appearances on TV in the U. S. and Canada.

For more information call 894-6538.

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These church listings are sponsored by: Whitman Drug Co., Dorsey Trailers, SouthTrust Bank & The Elba Clipper

Alvin Granosky To Speak At First Baptist Church

On October 22, 1990 at 7:00 p.m. Parents and teachers of the Wiregrass Area will be able to hear one of the most exciting, motivating, powerful and fun important messages.

Alvin Granosky, E.D., Vice President, School and Library Services for World Book, Inc., will be speaking at First Baptist Church, Elba, AL.

He will be speaking on "What Parents And Teachers Can Do To Make Education Meaningful"

Dr. Granowsky is recognized as one of the premier experts on reading. He believes that a meaningful education for any student involves the development of pride in one's work and a feeling of self-worth; literacy skills in reading, writing, listening and speaking; learning how to learn; and building a desire for learning now and in the future.

C.E.U. /Professional Development Credit for all teachers that attend. The conference is aimed towards parents and teacher.

Dr. Granowsky hopes that this conference will get teachers and parents involved and explain "how to nurture a secure thinking child."

Nursery is provided.

Coffee County Baptist Association Youth Rally Oct. 13th

The Coffee County Baptist Association Youth Rally will be held October 13, 1990, at the First Baptist Church in New Brockton, at 7:00 p.m.

The Covenant Players from Mobile, Alabama will be in charge of the program. Covenant Players, an international repertory theatre, uses everything from light comedy to heavy drama, plus Biblical characterizations to present the messages of the gospel. There are 115 touring units performing around the world. Headquartered in Woodland Hills, California, this international repertory theatre has, since its inception in 1963, performed close to a million times in 65 countries and in 12 languages.

Services are scheduled at 6:00 p.m. Sunday and at 7:00 p.m. the other nights.

The public is invited to attend.

Card Of Thanks

The family of Verna Stephens Hanchey wishes to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to all our many friends and relatives for their kindness and sympathy shown to us during our time of sorrow.

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Thank You friends and family for the prayers, cards and visits, while we were in the hospital.

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TWO MINUTES WITH THE BIBLE

BY CORNELIUS R. STAM, PRES. CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60635

"HOW THE SPIRIT HELPS"

"The Spirit helpeth our infirmities" (Rom. 8:26). But how can Christians find that the above principle is just as true of them as of the unbeliever. None of us is any stronger than his weakest link. If one link in a chain will hold one hundred pounds, another fifty, and another ten, the chain as a whole will hold ten pounds, no more. This is why James 2:10 says:

"For whosoever shall keep the whole law, and yet offend in one point, he is guilty of all."

Many people suppose that we will be saved or lost according to how good or bad we have been. This is not so. It is not a question of how good or bad we have been, but of whether or not we have sinned. A man need commit only one robbery to be a robber, burn only one house to be an arsonist, kill only one human being to be a murderer—and commit only one sin to be a sinner. This is why the Word of God says that all are sinners (Rom. 3:23).

How wonderful to know that in grace "Christ died for our sins" and that by simple faith in Him we may be saved and fully justified before God! (Rom. 5:8,10).

But here is where the believer can rejoice that "the Spirit... helpeth our infirmities" (Rom. 8:26). He dwells within to help in time of need, so that we need not fall away from God. This does not mean, however, that He takes control without being called upon, as He did "when the day of Pentecost was fully come." Unlike the Pentecost believers, we live under the "dispensation of the grace of God." What God provides by grace we must appropriate by faith. Thus in any given case we may have victory. Indeed, it is concerning the weak brother by Christ that Paul declares in inspiration: "God is able to make him stand" (Rom. 14:4).

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<p>IN HIM WAS LIFE AND THE LIFE WAS THE LIGHT OF MEN.</p> <p>THE ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION MEETS EACH WEEK AT 11:45</p> <p>HOUR OF TRUTH - WELB 1350 AM - 1:30 PM P.M. Sun. - Rev. Jesse Rodgers</p> <p>NOON DEVOTION WELB MONDAY THRU FRIDAY 12:05 - 12:20 P.M. Bill Beck</p> <p>ALBERTSON BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. John W. McCreanree Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH Don Patton Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Church Training 5:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST Wendell Stokes Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Church Training 5:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH James C. Compton Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST J. L. Hill Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Wed. Family Meal 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m. Visitation Thursday night 8:00 p.m. K&A & G&A - Wed. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>DAMASCUS BAPTIST CHURCH - Bobby Driver Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m. Visitation Thursday night 8:00 p.m.</p>	<p>DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH - Debbie Mader Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 10:30 a.m. Youth Choir Pre. 5:00 p.m. Bible Band Tues. 7 p.m. Pastor's Aid 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST - Bill Beck, MINISTER Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 10:30 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>ELBA CHURCH OF GOD - PROPERTY - J. E. Wesley Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>ELBA CHURCH OF GOD - PROPERTY - J. E. Wesley Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE - Darrell & Gert Riley Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Larry Powell Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>ELBA FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - Doug Dorch Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Family Meal 5:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m. Wed. Chancel Choir 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH - Sybil Bagwell Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Kimpton - Robert Brown Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Service 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS - J. L. Edgar Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Sun. Evening 6:00 p.m. Sun. Service 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Winston Jay Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 10:30 a.m. Youth Choir Pre. 5:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Pastor's Aid 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>EANON BAPTIST CHURCH - Bernard Strickland Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>ELBA ZION BAPTIST CHURCH - J. L. Gray Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Church Practice each Thurs. before 1st & 3rd Sundays</p> <p>FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH - Randall Pearson Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH - Sybil Bagwell Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Kimpton - Robert Brown Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Service 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS - J. L. Edgar Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Sun. Evening 6:00 p.m. Sun. Service 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>HARRIS TEMPLE COGIC - Elder W. T. Harris Sr. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Service 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Pastor's Aid 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 1st & 3rd Sunday</p> <p>HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Shirley Ellis Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Wesley B. Ard Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 5:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Rev. Sammy Strickland Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH - Wayne Webber Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11</p>
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Seniors' News

By Jennifer Flowers

Mr. Rusty Parker, Balfour Representative, recently met with the Senior class at Zion Chapel. During the meeting, Mr. Parker showed the class the different types of memory books, invitations, keepsakes, and thank you notes available for seniors. He also showed the seniors the types of jewelry, such as key chains, that were available. The seniors wishing to order must pay \$40.00 deposit on October 10, 1990. On this day, they will be given their choice of memory books, tassels, jewelry, and keepsakes. Then in April of 1991 the seniors will have to pay the rest of the money they owe and they will get their invitations and thank you notes. Mr. Parker also stated that he would come in February of 1991 to measure the seniors for their caps and gowns.

During the remainder of the meeting, Mrs. Rachel Bryan and Mrs. Anita Grant, senior class sponsors, discussed the guidelines and rules for a person who wants to run for a senior class office. The class will elect a President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. To qualify for an office a person had to have at least a C average. They also had to have a petition signed by 10 Senior Class members to qualify to run for an office. Each Senior Class member could sign one person's petition for each single office. A person had to qualify by Wednesday, September 26, 1990 and Mrs. Grant had to then approve their petition. Campaigning was allowed from Monday, October 1, 1990. Campaigning opportunities were limited. No posters could be hung in the hall; only the rooms of Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. Grant, Coach McGee, Mrs. Mendez, and Mrs. Herbert were available for attaching posters to the wall. The luncheon could also be used. A candidate could use other types of material to campaign, but any mess that was made had to be cleaned up. Voting was done by secret ballot in Mrs. Bryan's room. She handed out one ballot at a time and had to vote a voting booth. Students had to vote during the day, Tuesday, October 2, 1990. Voting ended 15 minutes after the beginning of seventh period.

Seniors Elect Class Officers

By Sharon Rogers

Sharon Rogers was elected president of the Zion Chapel graduating class of 1991.

Wesley Messer was elected vice-president, Stacey Black was elected secretary, and Camille Haynes was elected treasurer.

The candidates were required to have ten seniors sign a petition of nomination for the office they were seeking. This was followed by five days of campaigning. When campaigning was over each Senior went to the voting area one by one.

The senior officers are looking forward to fulfilling their duties.

Pictured left to right are Senior Class Officers: President Sharon Rogers, Vice-President Wesley Messer, Secretary Stacey Black, and Treasurer Camille Haynes.

Mrs. Bryan - I Won't Be Late Again!

By Denise Flowers

Many problems occur when a person is tardy. Missing roll call, interrupting class because your late, and getting penalties for being late are some things you have to consider if you don't arrive on time.

One of the major reasons you should not be tardy to first period is that you might miss roll call. When you miss roll call you might be put down as absent. Then you have to see Mr. Andrews to have your name taken off the absentee sheet. You have to then get a tardy slip in to get into class, and by that time you've missed about five minutes of class. And once you get to class you have to be told

what the other students are already doing. This makes most teachers angry. The next problem is interrupting class by opening the door after the tardy bell rings. You have the other students yelling you go to Saturday School.

In addition to being tardy and the conflict it causes, it is best not to be tardy, unless it is absolutely necessary. And then it is best to go to your teacher and get prior permission to do the class down and get them back to work. This makes her really angry and

all because of one person's tardiness. With a substantial amount of tardies, you could end up in break detention or Saturday School. With three tardies you could go to detention. Once you get nine tardies you go to Saturday School.

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Homecoming Spirit Chain

By Camille Haynes

For Homecoming '90 varsity cheerleaders will be selling links to a spirit chain. Each class will be represented by a different colored link with a symbol. The chain to be held for the class with the longest spirit chain. Tuesday, October 16, the chains will be hidden away so that no one will know which class has the longest chain. The links will be the following colors: Seniors will have red links and can purchase them from Sharon Ward; juniors will have black links and can purchase them from Shae Oglesby; sophomores will have white links and

can buy them from Felicity Littlefield; freshmen will have yellow links and can purchase them from Laura Brown; Stephanie N. Nelson, Chris Green, Kim Williams, and Stephanie N. Nelson; eighth grade will have green links and the seventh grade will have blue links. The seventh and eighth grade links can be purchased from Mrs. Sonya Shaw, cheerleader sponsor. Each link costs ten cents each or links can be purchased from the winner will be determined at the Homecoming game against Wicksburg. The varsity cheerleaders will pull chains across the field to reveal the winner.



Beta Club Holds Formal Initiation

By Donna Holcomb

The Zion Chapel Chapter of the National Beta Club recently held their formal initiation of new officers and members. The induction ceremony was first called to order by last year's president, Donna Holcomb. Marie Jackson, a Beta member, then stated the name and purpose of the organization. Afterwards, Stacey Black, a Beta member stated the Beta Club Preamble. The induction of new members then took place. Each officer from last year relinquished their duties to this year's officer. Each of the new officers lit their candle and stated their duties would be. This year's president, Sharon Rogers, then presided over the ceremony. Afterwards, Jennifer Flowers, the club's SGA representative, explained the four principles of Beta Club. President, Sharon Rogers and Vice-President Donna Holcomb then explained what the black and gold colors for the Beta Club signify. Next, they lit the new initiates candles and the ceremony was complete. The new members are as follows: Seniors - Jeffery Flowers and Stephanie Adkinson; Junior - Jeremy Law and Sophomores - Tawana Neal, Randy Jackson, Sandy Jacobs, Tracey Jennings, Jason Koch, and Dawn Nelson.

There was a reception held for the parents and family of all Beta Club members immediately after the ceremony in Mrs. Sonya Shaw's room. Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Carolyn Daugherty are the sponsors of Beta Club.

PTO Holds First Meeting Of The Year

By Marie Jackson

Mrs. Janice Bell from World Book, was the guest speaker at the first Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO) meeting of the year. Mrs. Bell spoke to the group about World Book's Partners in Excellence Reading Program.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Pat Semm, the president of PTO. She then introduced Rev. Donnie Marler who gave the invocation.

After the invocation Mrs. Bell explained the Partners in Excellence Reading Program. She told the group that World Book would match every \$2 raised with \$1. This money is to be spent on World Book products for the classroom. The way the program works is that students read books and secure sponsors to pay them so much for each book they read.

In explaining the purpose of World Book's program, Mrs. Bell said, "Today, the educational community is faced with a serious problem, as administrators and teachers welcome the professional challenge of improving educational standards but the funds needed to reach those goals are being greatly reduced. World Book products to become actively involved in helping solve this problem by offering a program that will be educationally sound, that will be easy to implement, and one that will provide an ongoing benefit for your teachers."

The PTO then had a business meeting where several items of business were discussed. A new vice president, Mrs. Linda Burks, was elected. This election was necessary because the vice president elected last year had moved away. The name of the annual Halloween Carnival was changed to Fall Festival. Mrs. Linda Burks volunteered to chair the Festival planning committee. Several other parents also volunteered for her committee.

A motion was made and was carried to change the procedure for choosing the

class with the most parents present. Because of the differences in class size the winners are now chosen on a percentage basis. The winners for September were the Seventh Grade and the Third Grade. Each class will be rewarded with ice cream treat.

The business was adjourned and everyone was invited to tour the buildings to see the remodeling that had been done and the additions made. They were also invited to the Home Ec. Department for refreshments served by Mrs. Joan Hobbs and several members of the Future Homemakers of America.

Partners In Excellence

By Jeffery Flowers

The history and science departments are participating in World Book's "Partners in Excellence" reading program. The teachers and students participating are working to earn World Book products for their classroom. This is how the program works: A representative from World Book gave a presentation to the faculty. The teachers then asked the students to get a minimum of seven sponsors. In the eighth week the students collect their sponsors.

World Book provides these prizes for the students who achieve their goals. Everyone who reads the minimum of seven books and has seven sponsors will receive a certificate of achievement. A certificate and silver medal will be given to students who read eight books and get eight sponsors. A certificate and gold medal will be awarded to students who read ten books and get ten sponsors. All students who participate will have their name in volume "A" of the World Book placed in the classrooms.

What's For Lunch?

October 15-19, 1990

Monday - Breakfast

Cereal, Juice, Milk

Tuesday - Pancakes & Syrup, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Wednesday - Cheesecake, Toast & Jelly, Juice, Cereal, Milk

Thursday - French Toast, Syrup, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Friday - Donut, Juice, Cereal, Milk

Lunch

Monday - Hamburger or Steak Sandwich, Butter Beans, French Fries, Choice Of Fruit, Brownie

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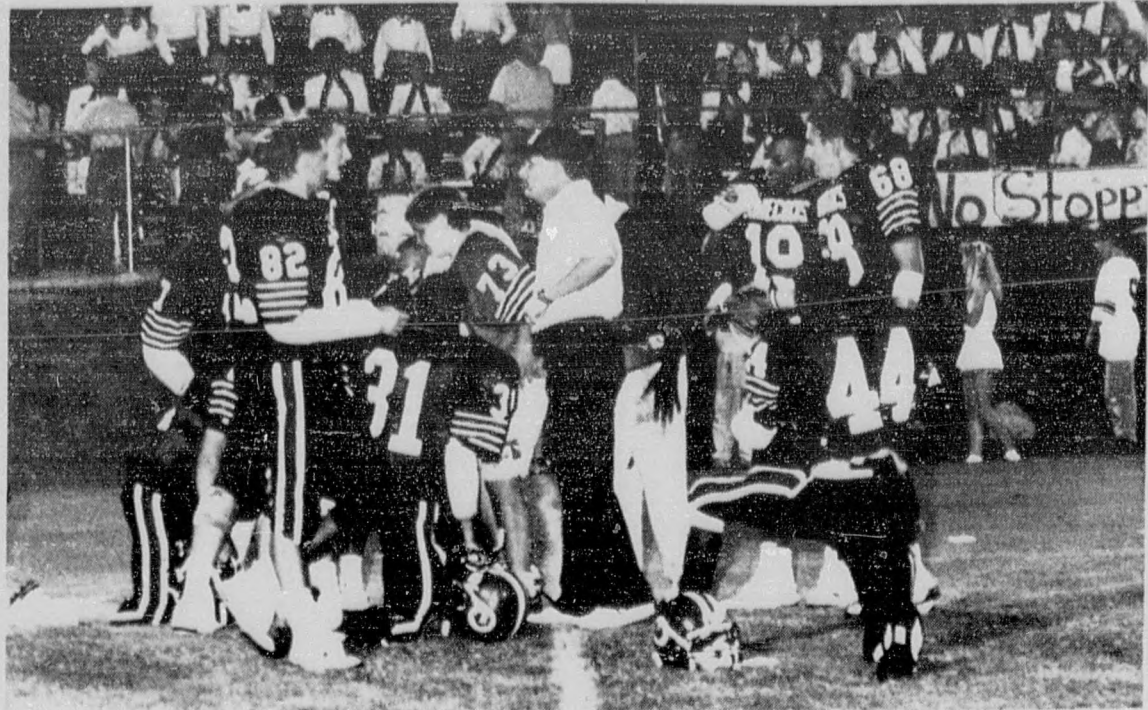
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NEW BROCKTON'S ALBERT COVINGTON (31) takes off after taking a handoff from Gamecock quarterback Rex Caldwell (19). Covington was the Gamecocks' main offensive weapon Friday night as New Brockton got into the win column with an exciting 15-13 win over the Goshen Eagles.



NEW BROCKTON'S COACH RICKY NICHOLS talks with members of his team during a break in the action. The Gamecocks gave Coach Nichols his first win at New Brockton Friday night by upsetting the Goshen Eagles 15-13. The Gamecocks will travel to Straughn Friday night in a crucial Area contest.

New Brockton nips Goshen 15-13 for 1st win of season

BY GREG BRUNSON

The New Brockton Gamecocks played their most consistent ball game of the season Friday night to claim an exciting 15-13 win over the Goshen Eagles.

Goshen took the opening kickoff and marched from its own 28-yardline to the New Brockton 4, only to see the Gamecock defense stiffen and take possession of the ball on downs.

New Brockton made two quick first downs before being forced to punt, and the 45-yard punt by William Moguel pinned the Eagles down deep in their own territory.

A bad snap to Goshen punter Daryl Foster resulted in the first big play of the night for the Gamecocks as Adrian Cason and Robby Lobdell broke through and tackled Foster at the Goshen 5-yardline, setting up the Gamecock offense in excellent scoring position.

Albert Covington took the ball off

Griffin with 9:16 left in the half. The two-point try failed, leaving the Gamecocks with a 12-0 lead.

The Eagles took the ensuing kickoff and drove 68 yards in only 4 plays for their first score of the night.

Jeff Shipman turned the final 3 yards for the touchdown with 7:08 remaining in the half, and although a bad snap foiled the extra-point try, New Brockton's lead was down to 12-6.

Rex Caldwell intercepted a Jamie Jackson pass late in the half to end a Goshen scoring threat and at intermission the Gamecocks went in with a 12-6 lead.

Late in the third quarter, Sodic Teague intercepted a New Brockton pass and returned it to the 27-yardline to put the Eagles in scoring territory.

It took the Eagles 9 plays to cover the 27 yards, with Jeff Shipman getting his second score of the night on another 3-yard jaunt. Jamie Johns booted the extra-point and with 3:11 left in the third quarter Goshen had grabbed the lead 15-12.

Albert Covington turned in a fine performance at tailback for the Gamecocks with 94 yards on 18 carries.

STATISTICS

	NB	G
1st Downs	10	7
Rushes-Yards	32-84	40-182
Passing Yards	60	29
Total Offense	144	211
6-12-1	47	2-8-2
Passes	47	78
Return Yards	1	0
Fumbles Lost	40	45
Penalty Yards	5-46.4	2-31.5
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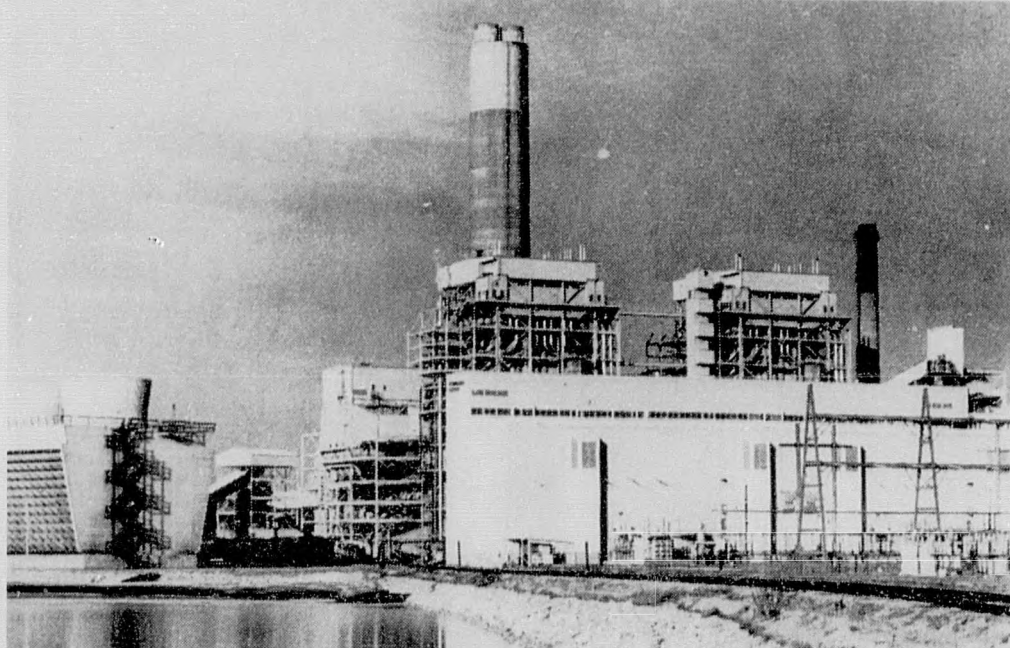
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Not pictured: Mary Blackwell, Thomas Bonam, Barry Bonds, Bragg Carter, Doyce Colvin, Dora Crowell, John Elard, John Johnson, Ray Kelley, Jerry Kelley, Jerry Mack, Joe Mancy, Sandy Murphy, Merle Parker, Jerry Reeves, Tommy Joe Saulmon and Glinda Simmons.

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Rebels mangle Golden Bears 31-8

BY RONNY SHIVER

The Zion Chapel Rebels exploded for four second quarter touchdowns to grab a big 24-0 lead and easily held on to down the winless Coffee Springs Golden Bears 31-8, Friday night at Zion Chapel.

The win upped the Rebels' record to 2-3, while Coffee Springs saw its record dip to 0-5 with the loss.

The game was a defensive show for much of the opening stanza as both Coffee Springs and Zion Chapel made big plays to stop potential scoring drives.

The Rebels got their offensive machine cranked up early in the second stanza; however, and grabbed the lead for good with 7:11 left in the half when Jeffery Flowers kept the ball on an option and scampered 12-yard to paydirt.

Zion Chapel got the ball back on a Bear punt and this time wasted little time increasing its lead as Tracy Woods took a pitchout from Flowers on the option and outraced the Coffee Springs defense 46 yards for a touchdown.

The Rebel defense set up the next Zion Chapel score as Dominic Parker recovered a Golden Bear fumble at the Coffee Springs 11-yardline.

A holding penalty backed the Rebels up to the 21, but it only delayed the score, as Jeffery Flowers tossed an 11-yard pass to Dymoris Smith and Woods scampered in from 10-yards out to up the Zion Chapel lead to 18-0.

Parker wasn't satisfied with just recovering the earlier fumble, so, on Coffee Springs' next series the defensive-end caused a fumble with a big hit and then pounced on the loose football to put the Rebels right back in business at the Bears' 14-yardline.

Flowers scored three plays later on a one-yard dive and at the half the Rebels were in complete command with a lopsided 24-0 advantage.

Zion Chapel took advantage of the big lead and let everybody get in on the fun in the third quarter; however, the Golden Bears refused to quit and scored with 11:12 left in the game on a 22-yard run by Tyrone Hutcherson and a two-point conversion by Gary Thomas to cut the lead to 24-8.

Zion Chapel fumbled the ensuing kickoff to give the Bears a ray of hope and Coffee Springs marched down to the Rebel 22-yardline, only to be slowed by a penalty and eventually turned the ball over on downs.

The Rebels still weren't ready to put the Bears away and promptly fumbled the ball right back to Coffee Springs at the Zion Chapel 23.

This time Coffee Springs moved to a first down at the Rebel 11-yardline; however, Jason McLeod and Jeremy Law teamed up for a big play on second down, while Jeffery Flowers sacked the Bear quarterback on third down and then on the big



ZION CHAPEL'S TRACY WOODS (42) eyes an opening in the rebels' 31-8 romp past the Coffee Springs Golden Bears. Woods rushed for over 100 yards to spark the Rebels to the easy win.

fourth down play Mark Hodges and Jason Senn broke through and sacked the quarterback for an eighth yard loss that all but ended any Bear hopes of a late rally.

Zion Chapel was still on top 24-8, but took no chances, as the Rebels marched downfield and put the game away with a 3-yard scoring run by Tracy Woods and a p.a.t. by Woods, giving the Rebels the win 31-8.

Tracy Woods gained 116 yards and scored 3 touchdowns to lead the

rebels, while Jeffery Flowers added 68 yards rushing and hit on 3 of 4 passes for 40 yards.

STATISTICS

	ZC	CS
1st Downs	12	8
Rushing Yards	221	112
Passing Yards	40	37
Total Offense	261	149
Passes	3-4-0	4-7-0

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Mrs. Lindsey

Mrs. G.E. Lindsey (Minnie May) Honored On 100th Birthday

It was a warm wonderful occasion recently when a host of relatives, neighbors and friends "from all over" dropped by to exchange greetings and congratulations to one of Elba's gracious ladies, Mrs. Minnie May Lindsey on her 100th birthday.

To commemorate this happy occasion an informal reception was held in the social hall of the First Baptist Church. Hosting the event was her son, Reverend John Frank Lindsey and wife Juanita. Assisting were grandsons John and David and David's wife Debbie, and children Chris, Drew and Heather.

To erase scars left by the March flood, many hours of volunteer work were given to make ready for this unique occasion of which the Lindsey family was most appreciative.

John Frank and Juanita greeted the many guest and directed them to the registry presided over by Debbie Lindsey of Daphne, AL.

Mrs. Lindsey received her guest from a comfortable recliner chair. Seated on either side were Mrs. Mary Louise Collier and Mrs. Sue Michum who assisted in the greetings.

Mrs. Lindsey was fashionably dressed in a stylish rose colored silk crepe church dress. Heather, Chris and Drew Lindsey, her great-grandchildren presented her with a lovely orchid corsage that complimented her outfit.

The party table was dressed in a handmade formal icy-white cloth. The lace and embroidery were the work of Mrs. Lindsey in past years.

The birthday cake held a place of eminence. It was embossed in pink icing and edged in a lace pattern of darker pink. The 100 numeral and a cluster of dark pink rose-buds enhanced the top in an interesting and artistic manner.

A lovely floral arrangement in the center complimented not only the cake but the punch service and the party silver trays of tasty food.

Alternating in serving were several nieces. They were Mary Ickler, Lillian Dickson, Joan Rea Ann Johnson, Alice Meister, Dorothy Clark and Hannah Pickworth.

Many artistic and colorful arrangements from family members, neighbors, friends and her Sunday School class added to the decor.

Congratulatory birthday certificates from President Bush and Governor Hunt were on display. Well wishers from "all over" recognized this special day with calls, visits and cards, cards, cards.

Some 50 or more family members from Louisiana, Georgia, California, Illinois, Maryland, Florida, North Carolina and Idaho joined the many

Brunson Family Luncheon Held

Mrs. Lois Brunson was honored with a family luncheon on "Sunday, October 7, on the occasion of her eightieth birthday. The covered dish luncheon was held at the home of Nancy and Marion Brunson on Brunson Hill, in Elba.

Those attending the luncheon were: Mrs. Lois Whitley, Leda and Edward Whitley of Ft. Payne; Kelley and Howard Whitley of Birmingham; Louise and Aubrey Jacobs of Enterprise; Miss Jill Jacobs of Mobile; Gloria and Wyeth Bragg; Miss Donna Bragg of Panama City, FL; Kitty and Bart Whitley of Waco, TX; Ruth Stacey of Crestline, CA; Myrtle and Quenton Helms of Orange Dale, CA; Phyllis and Don Ermsar of Riverside, CA; Debbie, Katie and Whitney Boston of Orange Dale, CA; Sandie, Kelley and Courtney Isenberg of Orange Dale, CA; Nancy and Marion Brunson; Karen and Bailey Brunson; Stephanie, Matt and Matthew Brun-

son; Leon Brunson; Elizabeth and A. C. "Bud" Brunson; Jennifer, Greg, Christopher and Allyson Brunson; Margaret Brunson Smith; Mildred and Hugh Enfinger of Skipperville; Madelyn and Johnny Miller of Ozark.

Mrs. Whitley was born on October 5, 1910, a daughter of Victoria DuBose and Arthur Clair Brunson. Their children were: Fox, Solie, Mae, Lois and A. C. "Bud". When Lois was four years of age her mother died. Arthur secondly married Zelma Rowe and they had three children: Margaret, Ellie "Brother" and Paul Rowe.

Lois Brunson married the late Herbert Spencer Whitley and they had four children: Louise, Gloria, Bart and Myrtle. Herbert had a son, Edward Whitley by a previous marriage. All of these and most of the grandchildren and great-grandchildren were present on Sunday for both the luncheon and reception held in Mrs. Whitley's honor.



Mrs. Whitley

Mrs. Whitley Honored With Birthday Reception

The family of Mrs. Lois Brunson Whitley honored her with a reception on the occasion of her eightieth birthday. The reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wyeth Bragg from 1:30 until 3:00 on Sunday, October 7.

As guests arrived, they were greeted by sons-in-law, Wyeth Bragg, Aubrey Jacobs and Quenton Helms. Gloria Bragg greeted guests at the door and presented them to her mother, the honoree.

Mrs. Whitley wore a deep rose satin dress with a lace top. Her corsage was of white rosebuds.

Mrs. Louise Jacobs, daughter of the honoree, directed guests to the party table where a variety of party dainties and punch was served by Mrs. A. C. Brunson Jr. and Mrs. Marion Brunson.

Guests were then directed by Mrs. Myrtle Helms, daughter of the honoree, into the living room and family room where they enjoyed their refreshments and visiting. Leda and Edward Whitley and Kitty and Bart Whitley, sons and daughter-in-law of the honoree were hosts and hostesses in the party rooms.

Misses Donna Bragg and Jill Jacobs, granddaughters of the honoree, presided at the guest register. More than a hundred guests called during the party hours to celebrate with Mrs. Whitley.

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He shall cover thee with his feathers, and under his wings shalt thou trust; his truth shall be thy shield and buckler.

Thou shalt not be afraid for the terror by night; nor for the arrow that flieth by day;

Nor for the pestilence that walketh in darkness; nor for the destruction that wasteth at noonday.

A thousand shall fall at thy side, and ten thousand at thy right hand; but it shall not come nigh thee.

Psalm 91:1-7

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Church Anniversary
The 127th Church Anniversary of the Friendship Baptist Church, Glenwood, AL, will be held Sunday, October 28, 1990 at 2:30 p.m. Reverend J. M. Bryant, pastor announced recently.

The theme is "The Lord Loveth the Gates of Zion more than all the dwellings of Jacob."

Mistress of Ceremonies will be Sister Helen Ballard and the guest choir will be the New Hope Valley choir. Welcome will be by Sister Katie Hamilton and the Occasion will be by Sister Virginia Roberts.

Sister Wyoming Cannon will give the history of the church and Reverend Morris Daniels will deliver the sermon.

Guest churches include Goshen First Baptist, Holly Spring, St. John-Luven, Pilgrimage Rest, St. Matthews, Brantley, Old Mt. Zion, St.

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The Housing Authority of the City of Elba, Alabama will receive bids for Comprehensive Modernization of HUD Housing Projects AL-107-001 and AL-107-003, Modernization No. AL-107-003-Z, until 2:00 p.m. Local Current Standard Time, on the 8th day of November, 1990, at the Elba Housing Authority, Brantley Highway, Elba, Alabama at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The work consists of, but is not limited to, new kitchen cabinets, interior finishes, new furnaces and water heaters, new doors and hardware, miscellaneous interior and exterior repairs, roofing, landscaping, and site work.

Contract documents, including drawings and specifications, are on file at the office of the Architect, Saunders Associates, Architects, Inc., 1108 Maryland Drive, Albany, Georgia 31707, 912/436-9877.

Copies of contract documents may be obtained by depositing \$75.00 with the Architect for each set of documents so obtained. Each such deposit will be refunded if the drawings and specifications are returned in good condition within ten days after bid opening for those submitting bids. Deposits shall be non-refundable for persons receiving bids and not submitting a bid. Checks shall be made payable to the Elba Housing Authority.

Plans and specifications will be issued only to qualified contractors licensed by the State Licensing Board of General Contractors of Alabama as required by Title 46, Section 65-82 of the 1940 Alabama Code as amended in 1955 under Act No. 571. Only bids of such contractors who are licensed prior to date of this advertisement will be considered.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the Elba Housing Authority.

Employment Service Tells Of Job Placements

The State Employment Service placed 9,002 people in jobs during September, according to J. G. Allen, director of the Alabama Department of Industrial Relations.

The Mobile local office reported 957 placements to top the employment service's productivity report. Other leading offices were Birmingham, 713; Montgomery, 492; Opelika, 488; and Dothan, 471.

The State Employment Service has continued to improve over the past few years, Allen said. The civilian labor force has increased about 1 percent over the past four years while the number of jobs filled is 21 percent greater than four years ago.

Veterans Can't Get Services

The VA medical centers have received messages from their regional directors to discontinue beneficiary travel effective October 1, 1990. The discontinued service includes ambulance service and also discontinuing payment for C&P examinations.

For further information, contact your local county Veterans Service Office of Robert E. Volney, Coffee County Veterans Service Office at 347-6440. His office is located in the Enterprise courthouse. Office hours are Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

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Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the contract documents must be paid on this project, and that the contractor must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.

Each bid must include the Non-Collusive Affidavit and the Previous Parties Certificate signed by the bidder and on the correct HUD forms.

The Elba Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. Bids may be held by the Elba Housing Authority for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days from the date of opening of bids for the purpose of reviewing them and investigating the qualifications of the bidders, prior to awarding the contract.

Copies of contract documents may be obtained by depositing \$75.00 with the Architect for each set of documents so obtained. Each such deposit will be refunded if the drawings and specifications are returned in good condition within ten days after bid opening for those submitting bids. Deposits shall be non-refundable for persons receiving bids and not submitting a bid. Checks shall be made payable to the Elba Housing Authority.

Plans and specifications will be issued only to qualified contractors licensed by the State Licensing Board of General Contractors of Alabama as required by Title 46, Section 65-82 of the 1940 Alabama Code as amended in 1955 under Act No. 571. Only bids of such contractors who are licensed prior to date of this advertisement will be considered.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the Elba Housing Authority.

Elba Elementary School 1st Six Weeks Honor Roll 1990-91

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Dustin White

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Laura Crowe
Lacy English
Casey Henderson
Brad Holley
Anna Maddox
Cory McKee
Alan Samuel
Jeremy Sanders

Fifth Grade
Matthew Farris
Misty Kelley
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Joe Fuller
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ADVERTISEMENTS FOR BIDS
Separate Sealed Bids For The Construction Of WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS, COBG Project No. LR-ED-PF-90-009 will be received by the CITY OF ELBA, ALABAMA until 10:00 a.m. local time, October 5, 1990 at City Hall. Bids received after this time will not be accepted.

The work on this Project consists, in general, of 5,700 L.F. 6" water main, 12 gate valves, 5 fire hydrants, 300 feet of paving, replacement, backflow and metering assembly and booster pumping station and all necessary controls and appurtenances, including all labor and materials associated with the above mentioned work.

All work shall be completed within 60 consecutive calendar days. Bidding Requirements, Contract Forms, Conditions of the Contract, Specifications, Drawings, and other contract Documents may be examined during normal business hours at the office of the following:

Peters-Mitchell and Associates
300 North Foster Street
P.O. Box 6523
Dothan, Alabama 36303 (3602) 363-0231
(205) 793-5378

City Clerk's Office
875 Pamela Beldale
North of Range 19 East, within the Elba, Alabama 36323
Phone: (205) 897-2333

Copies of the Bidding Documents are available in accordance with the INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS and may be obtained at the office of the ENGINEER, Peters-Mitchell and Associates, 300 North Foster Street (P.O. Box 6523), Dothan, Alabama 36303, upon prior payment of the sum of TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$25.00) for each set of documents, WHICH SUM WILL NOT BE REFUNDED. No partial or "split" sets will be issued. All checks for copies of the Bidding Documents shall be made payable to Peters-Mitchell and Associates.

BIDS must be submitted in an envelope sealed and labeled "BID FOR WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS - SUBMITTED BY NAME OF BIDDER" and BIDDERS' current Alabama Contractor License Number. Addressed to: CITY OF ELBA, ALABAMA, 36323. BIDS submitted by mail must be registered.

Each Bidder must deposit a Bid Bond payable to the OWNER in an amount not less than five (5) percent of the total amount Bid. The Bid Bond shall be returned to the Bidder upon award of the contract.

The SUCCESSFUL BIDDER whether a resident or non-resident shall be required to comply with all City, County, and State licensing and/or permit laws.

BIDS in the case of corporation not chartered in Alabama, must be accompanied by proper certificate evidencing that such corporation is authorized to do business in the State of Alabama.

Contract Security: A performance BOND and a payment BOND each in the amount of one hundred (100) percent of the CONTRACT PRICE, with a corporate surety approved by the OWNER, will be required from the CONTRACTOR for the faithful performance and payment of all obligations under the contract Documents.

This project is financed in part by the State of Alabama Department of Community Affairs under the Small Cities Loans and Development Block Grant Program. Attention of BIDDERS is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the Contract, Section 3, Segregated Facilities, Section 109 Executive Order 11246, and all applicable laws and regulations of the Federal government and State of Alabama, and bonding and insurance requirements. BIDDERS will also be required to execute certifications relating to foreign corporations, foreign subcontractors, and foreign products.

Before award is made to a BIDDER not a resident of the State where the Project is located, such BIDDER shall designate a proper agent in the State where the Project is located on whom service can be made in the event of litigation.

The OWNER reserves the right to reject any and all BIDS, to waive any informalities or irregularities in the BIDS received, and to accept any BID which is deemed most favorable to the OWNER at the time and under the conditions stipulated.

NO BIDDER may withdraw his BID within 60 days after actual date of opening thereof.

"LEGAL NOTICE"
Bulld Excavating, Inc. hereby gives notice of completion of Contract with the State of Alabama for construction of Project No. 99-307-162-087-001 and 99-307-312-087-001, Coffee County and Counties. This notice is given for four consecutive weeks beginning on October 4, and ending on October 25, 1990. All claims should be filed with Bulld Excavating, Inc., 1028 South Cotton Street

Canola, Is A New Crop For Coffee County

Richard Pétcher - Assistant County Agent

Oil seed rape ranks as the fourth or fifth most important worldwide source of vegetable oil. The varieties low in both erucic acid and glucosinolates (referred to as double-low) are what we call Canola. Canola oil is well known among health food folks as canola oil is lower in unsaturated fats than any other cooking oil on the market. Canola is the new 100% leader in Canola oil exports.

Years ago farmers grew rape in this area for the greens, much like mustard and turnips. So Canola grows well here, but because of a lack of market little research has been done with this crop in Alabama. There is now a market for Canola. USDA predicts there will be 385 million pounds of Canola imported into the U.S. in 1991.

At this point Canola production looks very promising. However, caution should be used anytime a new crop is grown, and Canola is new to all of us. Last year less than 100 acres of Canola were grown in Alabama and this year there will be about 3000 acres planted. I am expecting about 200 acres to be planted in Coffee County.

Seed can be purchased from most of our agribusiness dealers in Coffee County. The spring type planted in the fall works best in Coffee County. Several varieties are on the market. Allelix has a variety called Delta and both Calgene and Cargill have varieties out this year that will be about equal in yield.

Seeding rate is 6 to 7 pounds of seed per acre. Heavier seeding delays harvest.

Planting dates in Coffee County

are October 1 - November 10. Optimum is October 1 - 25. Soil test should be medium to high for phosphorus and potassium. Normally, 50 to 60 pounds of phosphorus and 60 to 90 pounds of potassium will be needed for canola. One hundred pounds per acre of nitrogen are needed (40 to 50 pounds nitrogen per acre at planting, 50 pounds per acre about 45 days after emergence and 60 pounds about 90 days after emergence). Canola also needs 10 - 15 pounds of sulfur and 1 - 1.5 pounds of boron per acre at planting, especially on sandy soils.

Canola needs well drained soils. Good seed bed preparation is necessary. A grain drill with a fine seed attachment and press wheels is best. If your drill does not have press wheels, a cultipacker should be used at planting. Seed depth is critical. One fourth to one half inch is optimum. Seed depth should be no more than one half inch on clay and one inch on sandy soils.

Treflan pre-plant is the only labeled herbicide at this time. With good canopy cover weeds should not be too big of a problem in the winter. Wild radish seems to be the problem weed.

Canola appears to be very sensitive to herbicide carryover. Some carryover effects have been seen from Scepter, Pursuit, Classic and triazine herbicides used on corn.

Methyl Parathion is the only insecticide labeled for use at this time. Aphids in the spring are the major pest. In the spring crop develops more herbicides and insecticides will receive labeling.

So far, few diseases or pests have

affected Canola in Alabama. However, as this crop advances so will the diseases and pests. At least a two-year rotation is recommended. This crop could work into a peanut rotation. However, some diseases (sclerotinia) on peanuts may be increased by canola. We just don't know yet.

Winter kill could be a problem if temperatures go below 10 degrees F. Harvest time in Coffee County should be in early to mid-May if planted on time. Canola harvesting likely will be a challenge for the first-time growers, as the seed are very small. On mature plants they are easily shattered. The combine reel must be slowed to reduce this problem. To avoid excessive losses, Canola should be harvested soon after maturity.

Yields have been from 35 to 80 bushels per acre. A good on-farm ex-

USDA Announces 1991 Wheat Program Acreage Reduction Percentages

Secretary of Agriculture Clayton Yetter today announced a tentative acreage reduction program (ARP) for 1991. The program will require wheat farmers to reduce their wheat acreage by 10 to 20 percent.

Announcement of the final 1991 wheat program cannot be made until the farm bill is completed. "Given the two versions passed by Congress, maximum ARP requirements will likely be 10 to 20 percent and the numbers will be affected by loan

rate provisions which are ultimately approved as part of the 1990 farm bill.

"I can give our wheat farmers this guarantee: We will use the export enhancement program to make sure American wheat is competitive in world markets. We have EEP initiatives in 41 countries. We have EEPs available in every wheat and flour market where our farmers face fair competition from the European Community," said Secretary Yetter.

He added that, "USDA will continue to urge these customers to buy U.S. wheat and assist such sales through the EEP and export credit guarantee programs."

Groundwater becomes contaminated because it is replenished by surface water. And any surface water can, and often does, carry contaminating substances down to the underground water supply.

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I was reading an article where there has been a weed sensor developed in Australia that will spray only where needed. Sensors can distinguish between weeds, crop residue and soil. Each spray nozzle is independently activated. The detection of the weed and activation is virtually instantaneous.

This new technology can mean that we can spray less herbicides and probably do a better job, thus reducing the cost of spraying as well as lessening the possibility of contamination. The article did not indicate the cost of this equipment.

It seems that azaleas are suffering more from the drought than some of the other ornamental plants. Azaleas have a very shallow root system.

I have checked several azalea plants that were dying or were dead, and the death could be attributed to the lack of water. Many of the root systems were just in the mulch layer. This layer dries out extremely fast. Without proper watering the azalea plant cannot live. Watering needs to be done slowly so that the ground

Food News From Angela Hughes

County Agent

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Some of you have perhaps wondered if there's a nutritional difference between white potatoes and sweet potatoes.

Sweet potatoes have about 50 percent more calories than white potatoes. A white potato contains about 20 calories per ounce; a sweet potato has about 31 calories per ounce. So, a four-ounce baked white potato would have 80 calories, while the same amount of sweet potato would have 124 calories.

You can see the major nutritional difference. The bright orange of the

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Horticulture Tips

Dan Presley - County Agent

DRINKING WATER QUALITY

Dan J. Presley
County Agent-Coordinator

Before the late 1970's, most people believed that water coming from underground was pristine, having been cleansed by filtration through layers of rock and soil on its way from the surface to the well.

That myth has long since been shattered, and now there is a national concern—even horror stories—about what people have done and are still doing to the nation's water supply.

Drinking water safety is gauged according to the number and concentration of contaminants the water contains. These contaminants (there are literally hundreds) can include industrial solvents, pesticides, metals, detergents and other substances. This careless contamination of a natural resource was conducted over decades, mostly out of ignorance—people just didn't know any better or, for the most part, didn't care.

Before the 1960's, practically no one gave much thought to spreading household paint solvents down the drain, dumping leftover pesticides on the ground or pouring manufacturing wastes into rivers.

The problem of groundwater contamination does not rest with a few people or organizations. Practically everyone has shared to some extent in the contamination of surface and ultimately groundwater, and it will require everyone's efforts to solve the problem.

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Florala police officers apprehend two Coffee County escapees

By Marvin McIlwain
Elba Clipper Editor

Glover Smith's and Joseph Dungan's "unauthorized furlough" from the Coffee County Jail in Elba came to an end in the early hours Tuesday morning.

Florala police officers, assisted by tracking dogs from the correction facility in Atmore, captured the two approximately 14 miles north of Florala on Al. Hwy. 54.

According to Elba Police Investigator Randy White, the two escapees were first noticed by Florala police when they were driving across the centerline of the road several times.

When officers attempted to stop the vehicle, the truck and it occupied space away with the police officers in hot pursuit.

Approximately 14 miles north of Florala on Hwy. 54 the two inmates jumped from the vehicle and ran toward a wooded area.

Dungan was apprehended by the pursuing officers before making it

into the woods, but Smith made it to the woods.

Tracking dogs were called in from Atmore to assist in the search for Smith. He surrendered to officers shortly after the dogs arrived and began the hunt.

The truck that the two were on when apprehended was stolen from the Elba Country Club sometime Monday night. It reportedly belongs to Donald Smith of Elba.

During their escape, the two had acquired some alcoholic beverages which accounted for the "staggy" truck. Also, the pair had allegedly stolen a shotgun from a residence in Elba, some food from the Elba DeLancey Tavern and the Elba Country Club.

Smith had the shotgun in his possession at the time of his capture, but he offered no resistance to arresting officers. He reportedly said, "I'm tired of running."

Items found in the pick-up had prompted the Florala police to identify Elba police and ask that they check the country club for a possible bur-



FALL IS IN THE AIR!! At about this time each year, the courthouse square in downtown Elba is adorned in decorations reflecting the time of year. Fall. This doesn't just happen as you can see in the picture above. Robert and Martha Frances Stephens assisted by Ralph Bradley join forces in giving the town square that - Fall Festival Look! Thank You! Martha Frances, Robert, and Ralph.

GRANTS AND FEMA FUNDS ELEVATES BUDGET

New Brockton adopts one-half million dollar FY-91 budget

By Marvin McIlwain
Elba Clipper Editor

New Brockton's "City Fathers" approved a budget for FY-91 totaling \$507,280.00.

In commenting on the budget in Monday evening's council meeting, Mayor Jim Driskell stated that grant funds and FEMA disaster funds which will be received in FY-91 are the contributing factors to the large increase over last year's budget.

The actual budget for last year, FY-90, was \$346,233.09.

Under item "Other expense" in last year's budget, grants totaling \$53,276.68 was included. This year, FY-91, the total amount budgeted is \$206,075.00.

FEMA funds received last year amounted to \$4,483.29 - this year the amount will total \$24,267.71.

The budget included an increase in revenue of an estimated figure of almost \$10,000 in cost increase and fines. This is due to the \$35 increase in all court cost approved by a vote of the people this year.

A 5% increase has been incorporated into the FY-91 budget for salary increases for all city employees.

After a short discussion during the review of the bills, the council voted to pass all of them except one. A bill in the amount of \$787.50 from D. Bruce McLean, the attorney who represented the city in the prosecution of Priscilla Foster, was withheld from payment by the council at this time.

Mayor Jim Driskell reminded the council that McLean was hired to prosecute the Foster case for the city because, at the time, the city was in a period of transition from one city attorney to another.

The new city attorney, Joe Sawyer, was unable to handle the case because of a conflict of interest. The old attorney, Kenneth Fuller, would not handle the case.

Councilman Bud Goodson felt that the fee until funds came through the court system as a result of the guilty verdict rendered in the case. Foster was charged with disorderly conduct.

Mayor Driskell told the council

that "We're going to have to pay that (the lawyer fee). I had suggested waiting until the case was settled and the money came in from the court, but we're still going to have to pay it. You can pay it now or put it off - it doesn't make any difference to me...it's a rightful bill."

Other matters acted on by the council included the following:

***Approved a request from Ricky Strickland for \$200. The money is New Brockton's share in the cost of

a float in the National Peanut Festival Parade to be held in Dothan on November 3rd. Miss New Brockton and Little Miss New Brockton will be riding the float along with "Misses" from two other cities.

***Approved the payment of \$150 for Christmas decorations for downtown. The request came from the Garden Club who will be doing the decorating.

***Approved the payment of 22.5¢ per mile as travel expenses for anyone traveling on city business.

Policeman disciplined after incident with Elba woman

By Marvin McIlwain
Elba Clipper Editor

Due to an incident involving an Elba resident, an Opp policeman has been demoted for disciplinary reasons according to Opp Police Chief Johnny Metcalf.

The police officer, Jenkins Logan will continue to serve as shift supervisor but has been demoted in rank from captain to lieutenant.

On September 12, an Opp police car was allegedly taken from the parking area of the Opp Police Department between 3 a.m. and 4 a.m. by Carolyn Helms Norris, age 40, of Edgewood Drive in Elba.

On the night of September 11, according to Chief Metcalf, a call was received by the Opp police from Ms. Norris requesting that she be incarcerated.

She was quoted as telling them (the police) that she had cancer and had only ninety days to live. The officers answering the call didn't think that she was able to drive her vehicle; so, they brought her to the alleyway by the police department.

Since the officers, Logan and another officer, didn't smell any alcohol on Norris, they agreed to allow her to sleep in the police car in the alley while they answered another complaint.

While the officers were on patrol, Norris proceeded to leave on the police car.



SEVENTY-TWO FAMILY MEMBERS EXPLORE ROOTS

Brunson descendants tour Elba Courthouse and Coffee County

By Marvin McIlwain
Elba Clipper Editor

Two "Big Reds" Trailways buses loaded with Brunson descendants visited Elba and Coffee County on Saturday, October 13th.

Seventy-two descendants of Mose and Monie Moore Brunson were on tour of the county, learning more about their heritage.

Mose Brunson, a son of Matthew and Nancy Elizabeth Brooks Brunson was born and reared in Brunson, Alabama. He married Monie Moore of New Brockton. She was a daughter of Rev. James B. Moore and Alabama Wilson. They had a family of ten children: James, Buford, Foster, Malone, Christine, Kate, Mildred, Vivian, Faye and Coston.

Seven of the ten children were present for the heritage tour through Coffee County on Saturday.

For the last fifteen years, the Mose Brunson family has had their reunion at Florala on the second Saturday of October. They also attend homecoming at Clear Springs Baptist Church where the family wor-

ship is held. The family reunion is held at the home of Mrs. Bessie Brunson, 1101 E. 1st St., Florala.

Executive Director Pam Bedsole said, "We plan to make the units as attractive as possible because we want all our people to come back home."

The project call for new kitchen cabinets, interior finishes, new furnaces and water heaters, new doors and hardware, miscellaneous interior and exterior repairs, roofing, landscaping and site work. Only contractors licensed by the State Licensing Board of General Contractors of Alabama may bid on the project.

Halloween trick or treating has been scheduled for the hours of 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. on Wednesday, October 31st, according to Elba Mayor Fred Moore.

Moore encourages all such activities be confined to these hours. Drivers are encouraged to be especially careful.

Parents are urged to remind their children of the dangers of late afternoon and evening traffic and don't allow them to take treats from strangers.

Trick or treat hours set by Mayor Moore

Homecoming Parade Route (Downtown Area)

4:00 p.m. Friday October 19, 1990

TO STADIUM

COOK CHEV.

HARDEE'S

PEOPLES BANK

SOUTHTRUST

BRADLEY'S FLORIST

CITY HALL

WESTERN AUTO

O.K. TIRE

MARTIN'S

DOWNTOWN SQUARE

COX FINA

ACE HDW.

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NOTICE

Chief Probate Clerk Nell Har-

verson stated that it is time for

all county businesses to renew

their state and county business

license.

The month of October is the

only month in which this may

be done!